UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

HSBC BANK PLC, et al.

Defendants.

No. 08-01789 (SMB)

SIPA LIQUIDATION

(Substantively Consolidated)

Adv. Pro. No. 09-01364 (SMB)

ORDER ISSUING A REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE TO THE APPROPRIATE <u>JUDICIAL AUTHORITY IN LUXEMBOURG</u>

Upon the Motion (the "Motion"), dated May 29, 2019, brought by Irving H. Picard, as trustee (the "Trustee") for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC, under the Securities Investor Protection Act ("SIPA") §§ 78aaa–*lll*, and the substantively consolidated estate of Bernard L. Madoff, seeking entry of an Order issuing a

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(the "Order") to be transmitted, via the appropriate channels, to the applicable court in

Luxembourg to obtain the testimony of Mr. Nigel Fielding, and it appearing that due and sufficient

notice of the Motion has been given under the circumstances; and it further appearing that the relief

sought in the Motion is appropriate based upon the information provided in the Motion and in the

record; and it further appearing that this Court has jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief

requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157(a) and 1334(b); and after due deliberation; and

sufficient cause appearing therefor; it is hereby

ORDERED that the Motion is granted; and it is further [SMB: 7/18/19]

ORDERED that the Request for Judicial Assistance, in the form submitted with the

Motion, shall be signed and sealed by the Court for transmission to the appropriate judicial

authority in Luxembourg so that valid service of process may be effectuated upon Mr. Nigel

Fielding.

Dated: July 18th, 2019

New York, New York

<u>/s/ STUART M. BERNSTEIN</u>

HONORABLE STUART M. BERNSTEIN UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

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